

**6010. Adulteration of shell eggs. U. S. \* \* \* v. 10 Cases of Shell Eggs. Consent order finding goods adulterated. Good portion ordered released. Unfit portion ordered destroyed. (F. & D. No. 8472. I. S. No. 16501-p. S. No. W-190.)**

On August 13, 1917, the United States attorney for the District of Colorado, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel for the seizure and condemnation of 10 cases of shell eggs, consigned by Brooks & Sons, Morland, Kans., remaining unsold in the original unbroken packages at Denver, Colo., alleging that the article had been shipped on or about August 3, 1917, and transported from the State of Kansas into the State of Colorado, and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that it consisted in part of filthy, putrid, and decomposed matter.

On September 11, 1917, the said Brooks & Sons, claimants, having admitted the allegations of the libel, the court found that the product was adulterated; and the eggs having been candled, it was ordered that the good portion should be released to said claimants and that unfit portion should be destroyed by the United States marshal, and that the costs of the proceedings should be taxed against said claimants.

CARL VROOMAN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*